

MUNAWWAR MERI AANKHON KO

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Munawaar Meri Aankhon Ko Mere Shams udDuha Kardein

Gamo Kee dhoop Me Wo Saayae Zulfe Duta Kardein

Grant the light to my eyes, my radiant late-morning sun; as he wills!

In the blistering heat of sorrows, shade me with his hair-locks, as he wills!

Jahaan Baani Ataa Kardein Bhari Jannat Hiba Kardein

Nabi Mukhtar E Kul Hain Jisko Jo Chahe Ata Kardein

Grant the kingdom of this world, or bestow a plentiful Paradise!

The Prophet has absolute authority, granting anything to anyone, as he wills!

Jahaan Mein Unki Chalti Hai Wo Dum Me Kya Se Kya Kardein

Zameen Ko Aasman Kardein Surayya Ko Sara Kardein

His is the command in the earth, what is beyond him, for just in a flash he can!

Raise the earth to the heavens or bring down a star, as he wills!

Fiza Me Udne Wale Yun Na Itraein Nida Kardein

Wo Jab Chahein Jisse Chahein Use Farma Rawa Kardein

Declare to those who fly high, do not be haughty!

He can confer the command to anyone, anytime, as he wills!

Har ek Mouje Bala Ko Mere Mawla NaKhuda Kardein

Meri Mushkil Ko Yun Aa'saan Mere Mushkil Kusha Kardein

Transforming every high wave, my Master, into a guide towards safety!

Turning my hardship into ease, my remover of difficulties, as he wills!

Ataa Ho Be Khudi Mujh Ko Khudi Meri Hawa Kardein

Mujhe Yun Apni Ulfat Mein Mere Mawla Fana Kardein

Granting me oblivion, he may vaporize my identity!

My Master may thus annihilate me in his love, as he wills!

Jahaan Me Aam Paigaae Shahe Ahmed Raza Kardein

Palat Kar Peeche Dekhe Phir Se Tajdeed e wafa Kardein

Spread the message of the Master Ahmad Raza throughout the world!

Look to the past, and renew your pledge of loyalty, as he wills!

Nabi Se Jo Ho Begaana Use Dil Se Juda Kardein

Pidar, Maa'dar, Biradar, Maal O Jaan Un Par Fida Kardein

So discard from your heart the one who has no connection to the Prophet!

Sacrifice your father, mother, family, wealth and life upon him, as he wills!

Kisi Ko Wo Hasate Hain Kisi Ko Wo Rulate Hai

Wo Yun Hi Aazmaa'te Hain Wo Ab To Faisla Kardein

He brings smiles to many, and others he makes them cry

In this manner he tests; he may decide now for me, as he wills!

Gile Taiba Me Mil Ja'u Gullo Me Milke Khil Ja'u

Hayaat E Jaawidaani Se Mujhe Yun Aash'na Kardein

Mixed with the dust of Taybah, and blossoming along with its flowers!

May I thus experience the life eternal, as he wills!

Mujhe Kya Fikr Ho Akhtar Mere Yaawar Hai Wo Yaawar

Bala'o Ko Jo Meri Khud Giraftaar'e Bala Kardein

And why should you worry, O Akhtar, for the one who is my supporter,

Will entangle my troubles, with mishaps of their own, as he wills!